Statewide Art Contest

"Honoring Those Who Serve" Students, Grades K-12

July 1 through September 20, 2020

PRIZES / AWARDS

\$ 30.00 Cash Award or Free Art Workshop

This statewide ART CONTEST is open to grades K-12 and is broken down as follows:

 There is a Juried (online) Art Competition for grades K-12 and cash awards for each grade level.

In each grade, winners will be selected to receive "Purchase Awards" to use their art image to promote outreach programs of the Sonoran Arts League and "Honoring Those Who Serve" in our community.

JUDGES The art judges will be provided by the Sonoran Arts League.

THEME: "Honoring Those Who Serve"

Create artwork expressing your thanks and appreciation to someone who has made a difference in your life and help honor those who serve in our communities and country.

Identify "WHO" inspired your artwork:

- Doctor / Nurse / Healthcare Worker
- Military / Veteran
- Firefighter / Police Officer / Civil Service
- Educator / Art Teacher
- Sports / Athletics / Mentor / Coach
- Parent / Grandparent / Caregiver

This is an opportunity to paint, draw, manipulate paper, weave, or collage - it's your choice. Take all of your favorite art techniques and materials to combine them into a work of self-expression.



SONORAN ARTS LEAGUE

The Sonoran Arts League is committed to advancing art, artists and art education, with a special focus on mentoring youth; believing that arts training helps develop the abilities to focus, and strengthens cognitive skills in young people. The League fosters artistic growth in the following ways: scholarship awards for graduating seniors, incentive awards and art supplies, art experiences and field trips, art workshops, educational program, and youth art exhibits in "Art in Public Places". SONORANARTSLEAGUE.ORG 480.575.6624







COME BE A PART OF THE ARTS!



RULES & CATEGORIES

Open to K-12 students (all Arizona public, private, chartered and home schooled students). ONLY ONE entry per person.

All artwork must be original design. Computer-generated images and traced images will not be judged. It is critical that submitted artwork not be overly derivative of images found on the Internet, in print media or elsewhere.

Submitted artwork images may be photographed and become property of the Sonoran Arts League. Artwork may be used in promotional material, with appropriate credit to the student artists wherever possible. Please do not send in original artwork. Submissions are all online. Please take high res or professional photographs of your artwork.

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HOW TO ENTER

Follow directions carefully and provide all information requested on the online registration.You must submit your artwork by September20, 2020. Late entries will not be judged.

Step 1: Pick your category and Create Art **Step 2:** Photograph your artwork (it is recommended a high res image of your artwork be submitted or semi professional photograph of your artwork.

Step 3: Register your entry online on the Sonoran Arts League website. Go to www.sonoranartsleague.org. Under the Art Education Tab, click on Art Contest

READY . SET . CREATE

Your canvas is blank and waiting for you to free your imagination with an array of color and style. Draw, paint, collage, and be artistically innovative as the challenge is on to use creativity and imagination to put your thoughts into art. The League promotes creativity through art as an effective method for artists of all ages (grades

K-12) to express their dreams and ideas for a successful life and a better community



WINNING ART IMAGES COMMUNITY THANK YOU CARDS

The Sonoran Arts League will be producing "ART CARDS" with the winning art images. The cards will be sold through the League and buyers are encouraged to thank "Those Who Serve" in our community with a simple note. Proceeds benefiting outreach programs of the League, art education and "Art In Public Places".